Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 25 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 26 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 25 Apr 2022 at 03:40

Confidence: High confidence in generally dry conditions continuing with good visibilities and light winds making for excellent walking conditions during most of the coming week. Moderate in terms of the risk of cloud at times and the chance of any showers on Monday.

Headline for Monday 25 Apr 2022: Mostly fine with sunny periods and a low chance of a shower.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 25 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	20%	20%	10%	10%

Forecast for Monday 25 Apr 2022

Weather: A chilly but dry start to the day, with east-facing ground in cloud. Staying dry through the morning with lengthy periods of sunshine for most of the area, but possibly cloudier on some hills, again mainly in the east. Remaining largely dry through the afternoon with long sunny spells and patchy cloud, and just a small chance of a shower. Staying generally dry into the evening with skies becoming largely clear of cloud to end the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Generally 70-90% but 40% in the east until mid-morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud forming above 700m during the early hours in eastern areas. This continuing until around mid-morning, but tending to lift and become smaller patches. Most cloud lifting to 900m or higher by midday and lifting above all summits during the afternoon. Generally very good visibilities although a slight haze surrounding distant hills. Locally very poor visibility in the morning cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	21/27 E	17/22 E	14/19 E	13/17 NE	17/22 E	18/24 E	16/23 E
600	17/25 E	13/17 E	11/16 E	10/15 NE	12/17 E	12/20 E	12/20 E
300	14/25 E	9/14 E	9/15 E	10/15 NE	10/16 E	10/19 E	10/20 E
Valley	14/25 E	9/14 E	9/14 E	10/15 NE	10/16 E	10/19 E	11/20 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	0/-7	1/-5	4/-1	6/2	5/-0	4/-1	3/-2
600	3/-2	4/-0	6/3	8/6	7/4	6/3	6/2
300	5/1	7/5	9/7	10/8	10/8	8/6	8/5
Valley	6/2	8/6	10/8	11/9	11/9	9/7	9/6
Freezing Level*	700m	800m	1000m	1200m	1300m	1300m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite feeling cold over the highest summits due to a moderate easterly breeze, strong periods of bright sunshine will give moderate to high UV levels. Sun protection is highly recommended with UV levels higher at altitude than in the valleys.

Forecast for Tuesday 26 Apr 2022

Weather: After a cold and possibly frosty start in some valleys, another dry day is expected with mostly sunny conditions to begin the day. Some cloud is likely to develop possibly leading to rather cloudy periods during the afternoon, but sunny intervals remain likely. Staying dry during the evening.

Maximum wind: Northeasterly winds 10-15 mph, local gusts of 20 mph at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patches of cloud possible above 800m during the morning, but most summits cloud free with excellent views. Any cloud lifting above all summits during the morning. Generally excellent visibilities but locally poor in cloud.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Zero Celsius rising to plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Around plus 3 Celsius, but plus 7 Celsius during the afternoon.
Freezing level: Just above the summits.

Thursday	Another similar day to on Wednesday with dry conditions expected and a mixture of sunny spells and patchy cloud at times. Light easterly winds with freezing levels just above the summits.
Friday	Probably remaining dry, but perhaps somewhat cloudier than previous days. Some spells of sunshine remain likely with winds staying light from variable directions. Freezing levels just above the summits.

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